

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of	)	<b>MAIL STOP RCE</b>
Philippe Erbs	)	Group Art Unit: 1633
Application No.: 10/565,230	)	Examiner: Maria Gomez Leavitt
Filing Date: January 20, 2006	)	Confirmation No.: 2237
Title: POLYPEPTIDE HAVING AN	)	
IMPROVED CYTOSINE DEAMINASE	)	
ACTIVITY	)	

**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)  
TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

**MAIL STOP RCE**

Customer Number **21839**

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Sir:

Applicant(s) requests continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application and encloses the ☐ \$405 ☒ \$810 fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e).

1. ☐ A. Applicant(s) requests that any previously unentered after final amendments not be entered. Continued examination is requested based on the enclosed documents identified in item 2 below.
- ☒ B. Applicant(s) previously submitted the following documents for which continued examination is requested:
  - ☒ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on June 25, 2009.
  - ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_.
  - ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_
2. The following documents are enclosed with this submission:
  - ☒ Petition for Extension of Time & Requisite Fee of \$130.
3. ☐ Small entity status is hereby claimed.
- ☒ No additional claim fee is required.
- ☐ The fee is calculated below on the basis of the highest number of claims already paid for in this application prior to this submission:

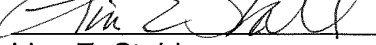
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Examination Fee (1801)					\$ 810
	No. of Claims		Extra Claims	Rate	
Total Claims	52	20	32	x 52 (1202)	\$ 1664
Independent Claims	2	3	0	x 220 (1201)	\$ 0
If multiple dependent claims are presented, add \$ 390					\$ 0
<b>Total Fee</b>					<b>\$ 2474</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> Small Entity Status claimed - subtract 50% of Total Application Fee					\$ 0
<b>TOTAL FEE DUE</b>					<b>\$ 2474</b>

4. ☐ Charge \_\_\_\_\_ to Deposit Account No. **02-4800** for the fee due.
5. ☐ A check in the amount of \_\_\_\_\_ is enclosed for the fee due.
6. ☒ Charge \$ 2604 to credit card for the fee due.
7. ☐ Applicant(s) requests suspension of action by the Office until at least \_\_\_\_\_, which does not exceed three months from the filing of this RCE, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c). The required fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) is enclosed.
8. ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800.

Respectfully submitted,

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